

25. ~~A method of manufacturing a sports board, comprising:~~
providing an elongated metal board having a front end, a rear end, a top surface, a bottom surface, a left edge, a right edge, and one or more longitudinally elongated hollow sections;
~~shaping the metal board near said front end and rear end at a predetermined angle; and~~
~~heat treating the metal board to reduce stresses formed in the metal board.~~
26. A method of manufacturing a sports board as recited in claim 25, wherein the step of providing an elongated metal board includes extruding a metal board.
27. ~~The method of claim 25, further including shaping said front and rear ends of the metal board into a predetermined shape.~~
28. ~~The method of claim 25, wherein said metal board is made of an aluminum material.~~

REMARKS

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The Examiner is requested to note that the law firm of Lyon & Lyon, LLP are the new attorneys of record. A revocation of prior power of attorney and new power of attorney has been submitted under separate cover.

Applicants respectfully request the foregoing amendments be entered before examination of the above-captioned application.

CONCLUSION

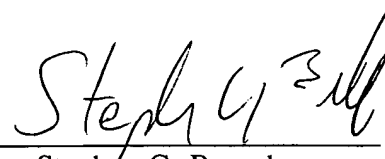
On the basis of the above, early allowance of the application is believed to be warranted and such action is respectfully requested. If the Examiner has any questions or comments regarding this amendment, the Examiner is respectfully urged to contact the undersigned at the number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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